

An aerial photograph of a coastal town and harbor at sunset. The town is built on a peninsula with a rocky coastline. The harbor is filled with several boats, including a large white cruise ship docked at a pier. The water is a deep blue, and the sky is a mix of orange and blue. The town has a mix of buildings, some with red roofs, and a church with a white steeple. The background shows rolling hills and a clear sky.

# Skeleton Coast: West Africa Luxury Cruise

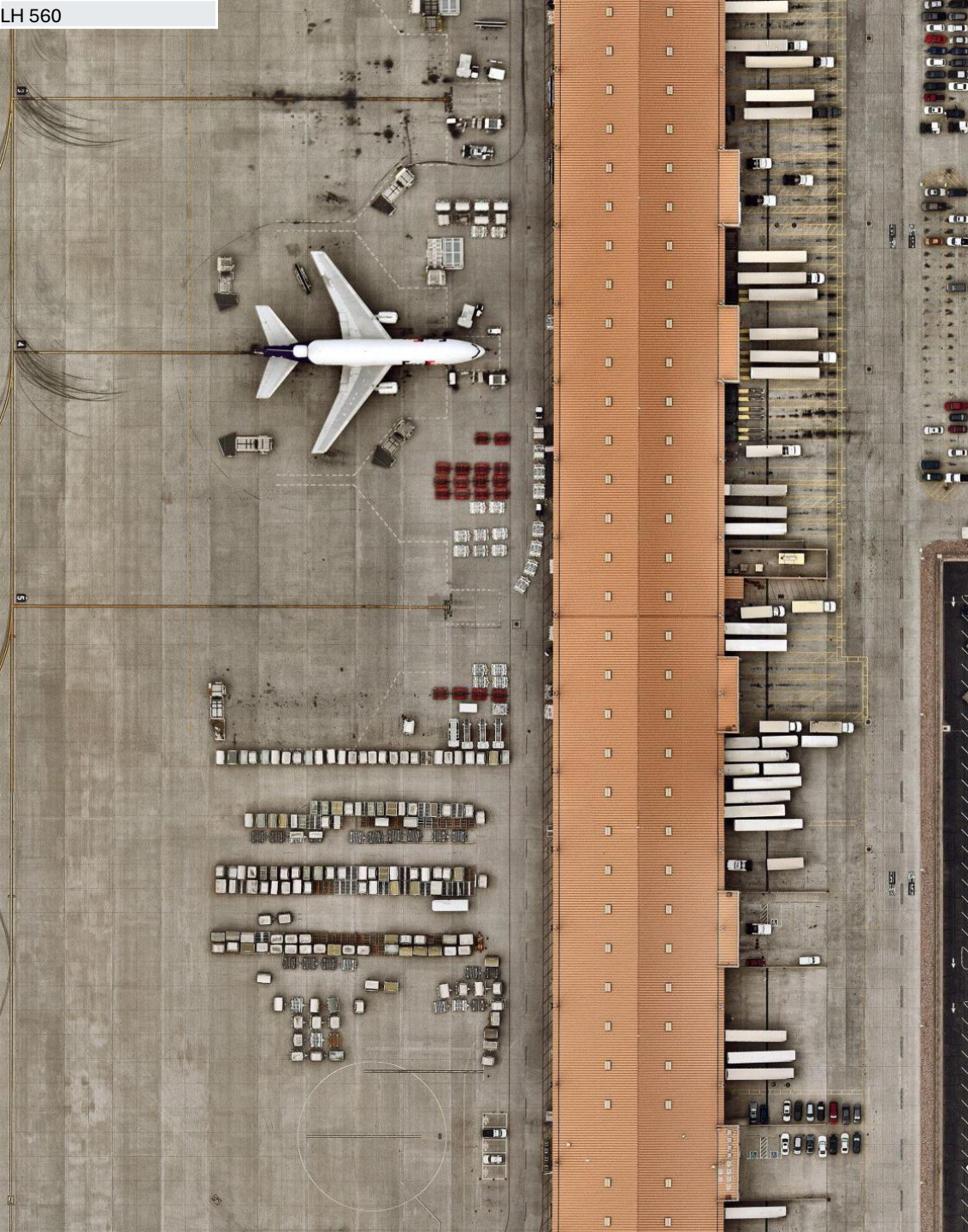
October 11 – October 23



# ITINERARY

Date	Day	Port	Country
October 11	1	<b>Luanda</b> (EPIC Sana)	Angola
October 12	2	<b>Luanda</b> (Embarkation)	Angola
October 13	3	<b>At Sea</b>	
October 14	4	<b>Namibe</b>	Angola
October 15	5	<b>Ilha Baia dos Tigres</b>	Angola
October 16	6	<b>At Sea</b>	
October 17	7	<b>Walvis Bay</b> (Overnight)	Namibia
October 18	8	<b>Walvis Bay</b>	Namibia
October 19	9	<b>Lüderitz</b>	Namibia
October 20	10	<b>At Sea</b>	
October 21	11	<b>Por Saldanha, Langebaan</b>	South Africa
October 22	12	<b>Cape Town</b> (Overnight)	South Africa
October 23	13	<b>Cape Town</b> (Disembarkation)	South Africa





# How to Get There

International Airports offering direct flights to Luanda

- Frankfurt (FRA) – Lufthansa (LH 560)\*
- Paris (CGD) - Air France (AF 972)\*
- Lisbon (LIS) - TAP Airlines (TP 295)\*
- Cape Town (CPT)
- Johannesburg (JNB)
- Addis Ababa (ADD)
- Sao Paulo (GRU)

\* The most common destination for other Brand g Guests

# Visa and Vaccine Requirements

## Angola

- No Visa Application
- **Vaccine Requirements:** Yellow fever compulsory (Passengers who cannot be vaccinated against yellow fever due to health issues should bring a statement of their doctor in English confirming the situation.)

## Namibia

- **Passport:** Three blank pages are requested for entry and exit stamps.
- **Visa Requirements:** Visa can be obtained on arrival with 14 days notice at cost of USD 85. Passengers without visa can stay onboard during ship's call in Namibia.

## South Africa

- **Visas are not required** for US citizens to enter South Africa. Citizens of other countries should check visa requirements with their nearest embassies or consulates for the countries visited.

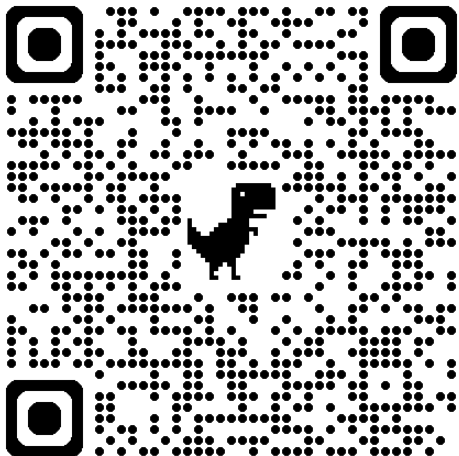


## 2026 Skeleton Coast: West Africa Luxury Cruise

### Trip Guide for Booked Guests

# Resources

- Trip Guide
- Brand g App
- City Guides (Luanda & Cape Town)
- Reading Suggestions



Trip Guide Page

#### Menu

- Introduction
- Information
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## Welcome



Thank you for booking our **2026 Skeleton Coast: West Africa Luxury Cruise**. Your adventure will be here before you know it!

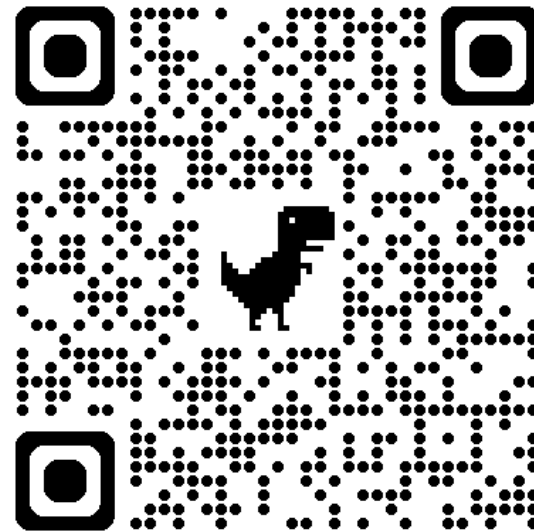
Approximately 30 days before the trip, your personalized travel documents will be sent out via email confirming all of your trip inclusions and airport transfer details. Below you will find additional information to help you prepare for the adventure that lies ahead.

## Before You Go



# Brand g App

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Sunday, **October 11**

Day 1 Overview


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Monday, **October 12**

Day 2 Overview

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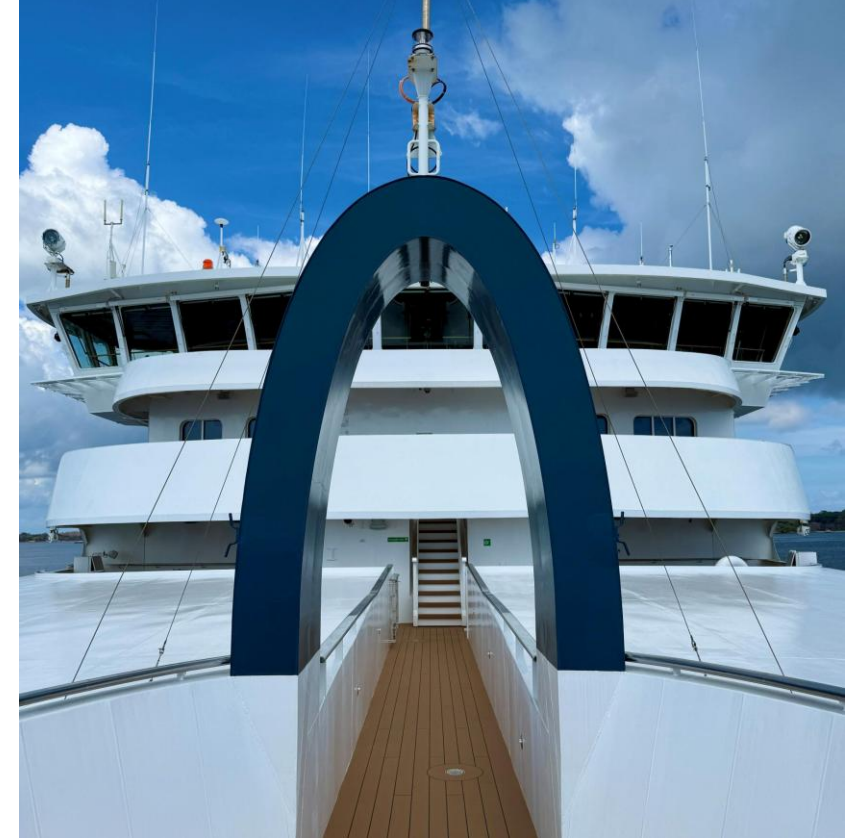
Before you board

# EPIC Sana

An aerial photograph of a city, likely Sana'a, showing a dense urban landscape with various buildings. A prominent skyscraper in the center-right is labeled 'EPIC SANA' at the top. The city is situated near a large body of water, possibly the Red Sea, with a coastline visible in the background. The sky is clear and blue.

Rest, relax, and pamper after a long journey

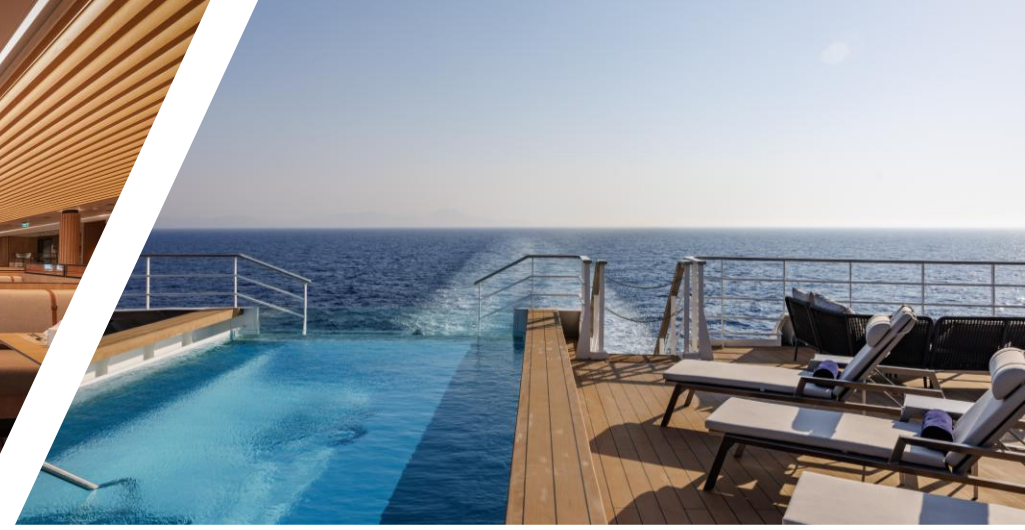
- Sayanna Wellness & Spa
- Restaurants (Terrakota, Vitruvio, Origami, Kimera, Switch Supper Club)
- Bars (Kosmopolis)
- Brand g Welcome Reception



## Embarkation

# On board the SH Diana





Luxury Awaits  
Life onboard the SH Diana

# A variety of Amenities

- Luxury Indoor & Outdoor Dining
- Bar & Lounge
- Stargazing Deck
- Swimming Pool
- Gym, Sauna, & Jacuzzi
- 24-hour Room Service
- Beauty Salon
- Laundry room
- Library



# World Class Crew

- Expedition Team
- Photographer & Videographer
- Local Guides
- Bartenders
- Masseuse
- Hair Stylist



# Sea Days

- Relaxation and Spa Time
- Educational Lectures
- Demonstrations
- Piano Bar
- Themed Parties
- And More!



# Your Brand g Entertainers



Meghan Murphy



Nicolas King



Sutton Lee Seymour



Nate Buccieri



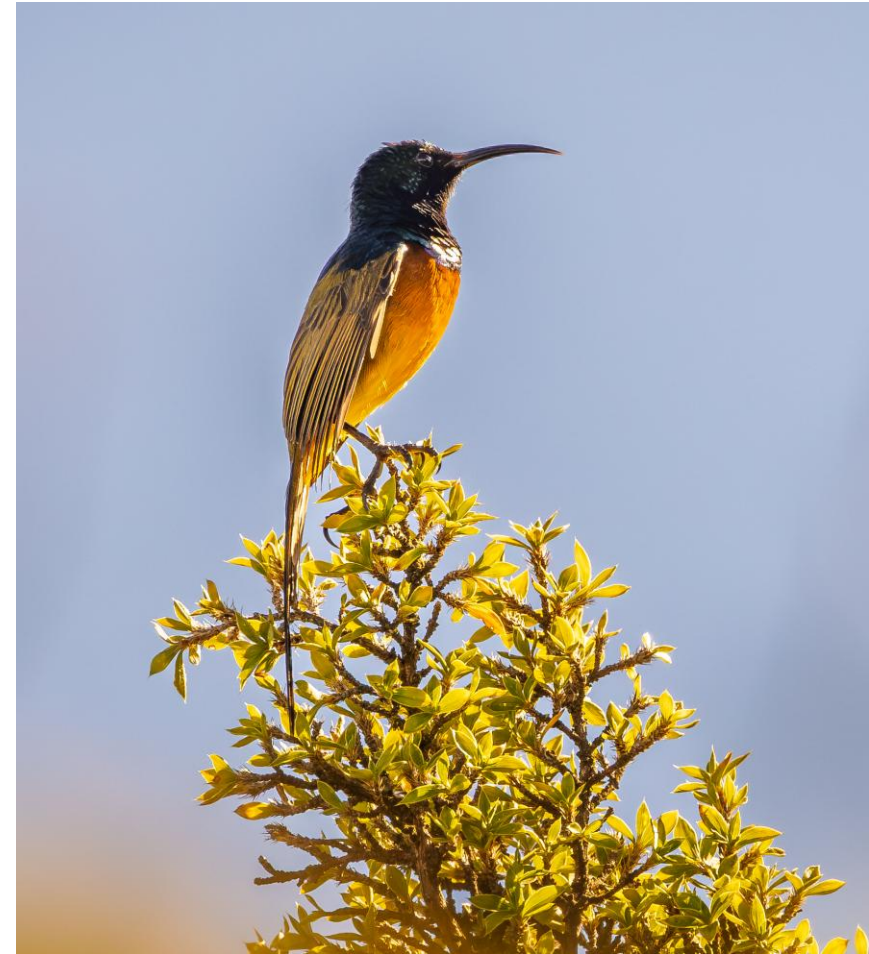
# Themed Dance Parties

- All About Me party
- African Gold Party
- Stripes or Spots - Pattern Party





Your gateway to Africa's West Coast



# Excursions

Each port includes a vetted and professional excursion





## NAMIBE, Angola

- Gateway to extraordinary desert landscapes
- Home of the ancient Welwitschia plant
- Unique geological wonders
- Rich coastal wildlife
- Authentic, “off the beaten path” Angola

# Namibe Desert Adventure

Explore Namibe's desert wonders, from the ancient Welwitschia plant to the surreal Arch Lagoon, followed by a brief orientation of historic Namibe city

- Included
- Activity Level: Moderate
- Duration: 5 hours



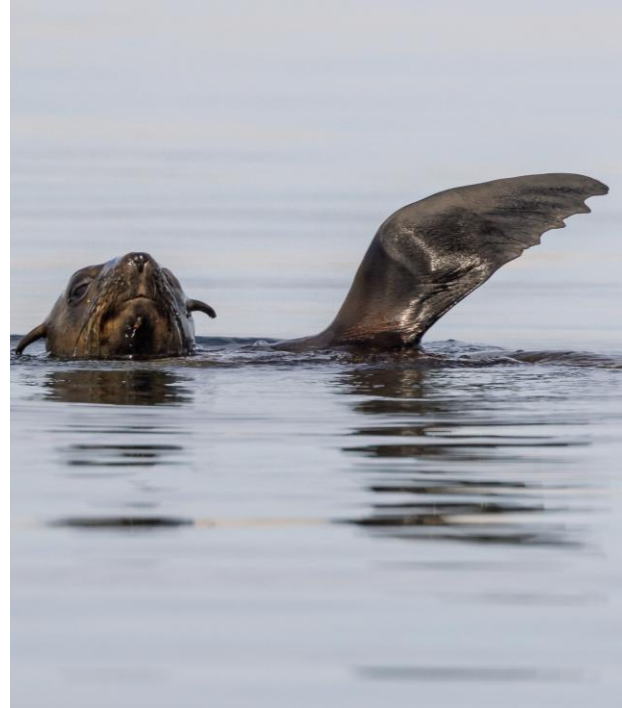
# Beauties of Huila

A full-day journey into Huila Province featuring Serra da Leba's iconic curves, Lubango's Christ the King statue, a local Angolan lunch, and breathtaking views at the Tundavala Gap.

- Pricing: \$329
- Guest Count: 18 – 60 guests
- Activity Level: Moderate
- Duration: 9 hours

\*6 hours of driving





## ILHA BAIA DOS TIGRES, Angola

- Remote, untouched wilderness
- Dramatic desert island landscape
- Abandoned fishing village
- Exceptional birdlife and coastal ecology
- True Expedition spirit

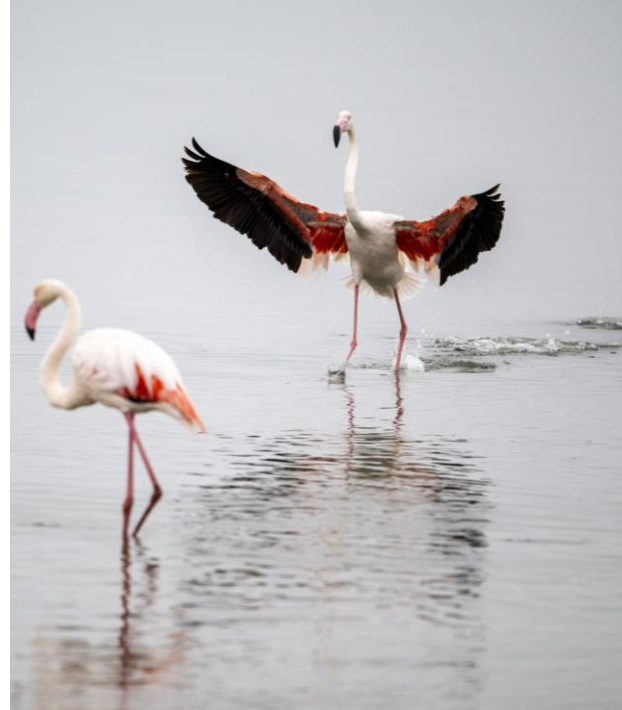
# Landing with Expedition Team

A rare landing on the abandoned island of Ilha dos Tigres, once a thriving village, now a hauntingly beautiful ghost town reclaimed by wind, sand, and sea.

- Included
- Activity Level: Moderate
- Duration: 4 hours

\*No additional optional add-ons





## Walvis Bay, Namibia

- Overnight
- Iconic desert-meets-ocean scenery
- Wildlife sightings
- Dinner under the stars

# Starry Night Dinner in the Moon Landscape

A magical evening in the Moon Landscape, featuring fire-spinners, live marimba music, and a gourmet dinner served beneath a brilliant desert sky.

- Included
- Activity Level: Easy
- Duration: 4.5 hours

\* Can be paired with optional add-ons



# Namibian Culture Tour

Explore Mondesa Township through food, music, and local storytelling, with guided visits, cultural encounters, and a warm welcome from the community

- Pricing: \$139
- Guest Count: 10 - 40 guests
- Activity Level: Moderate
- Duration: 4 hours



# Living Desert Tour

Discover the Namib Desert's "Little Five" as expert guides track chameleons, geckos, lizards, beetles, and the sidewinder adder along the coastal dune belt.

- Pricing: \$239
- Guest Count: 7 – 27 guests
- Activity Level: Easy
- Duration: 4.5 hours



# Pelican Point Kayaking

A triple-mode adventure: boat to remote Pelican Point, kayak with playful Cape Fur seals, then return by 4x4 across scenic lagoons and salt pans.

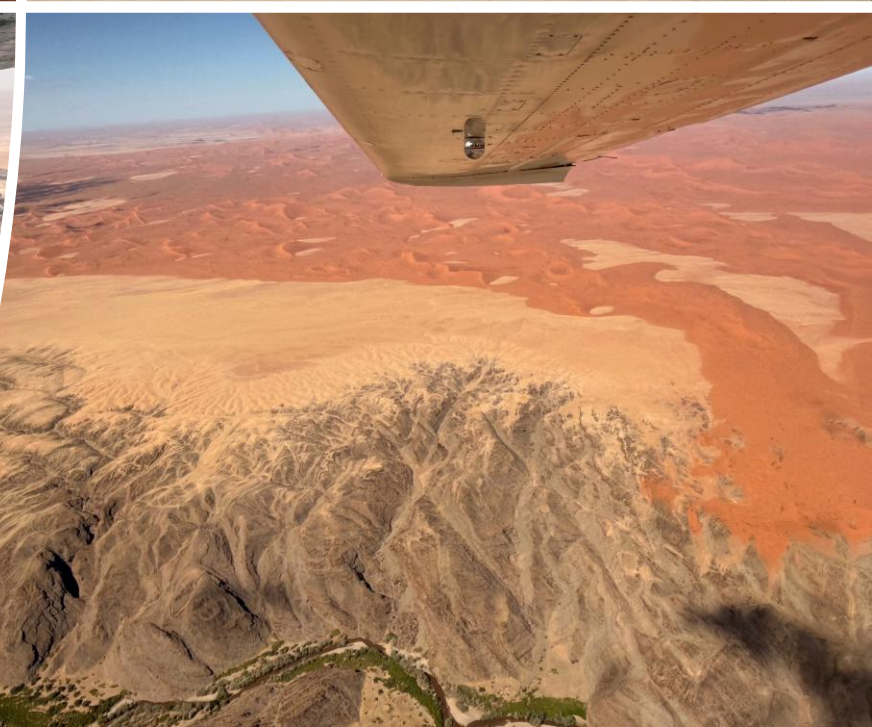
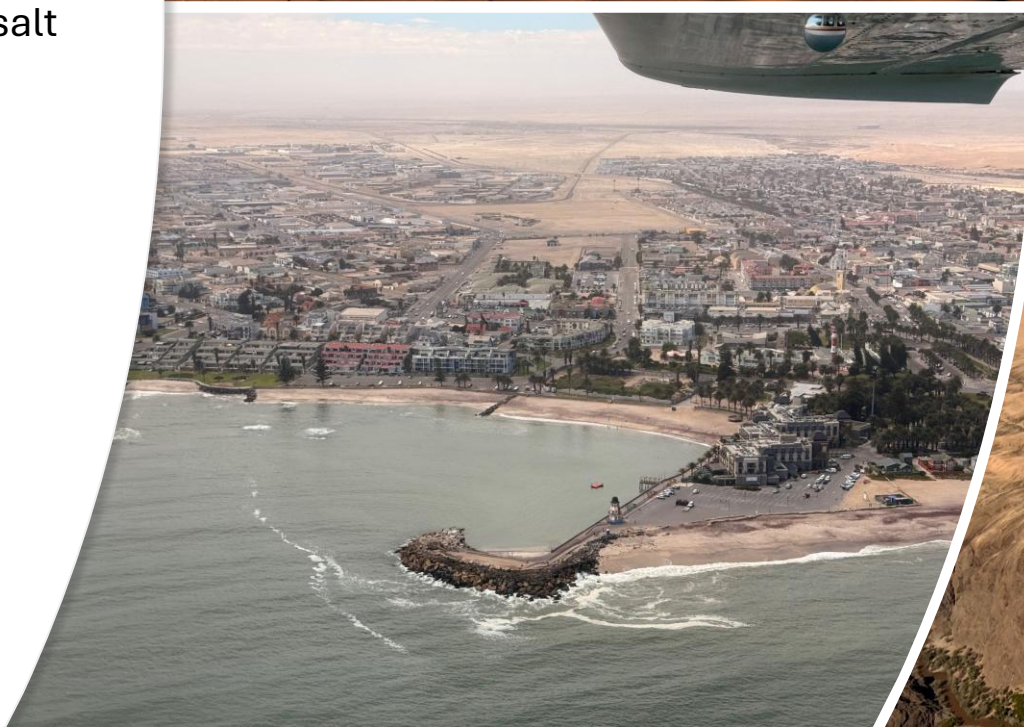
- Pricing: \$259
- Guest Count: 6 – 23 guests
- Activity Level: Challenging
- Duration: 4:30 hours



# Scenic Sossusvlei Flight

A 2-hour 15-minute flight over Kuiseb Canyon, Sossusvlei's towering dunes, historic diamond camps, Conception Bay shipwrecks, Sandwich Harbour wetlands, and the Walvis Bay salt works.

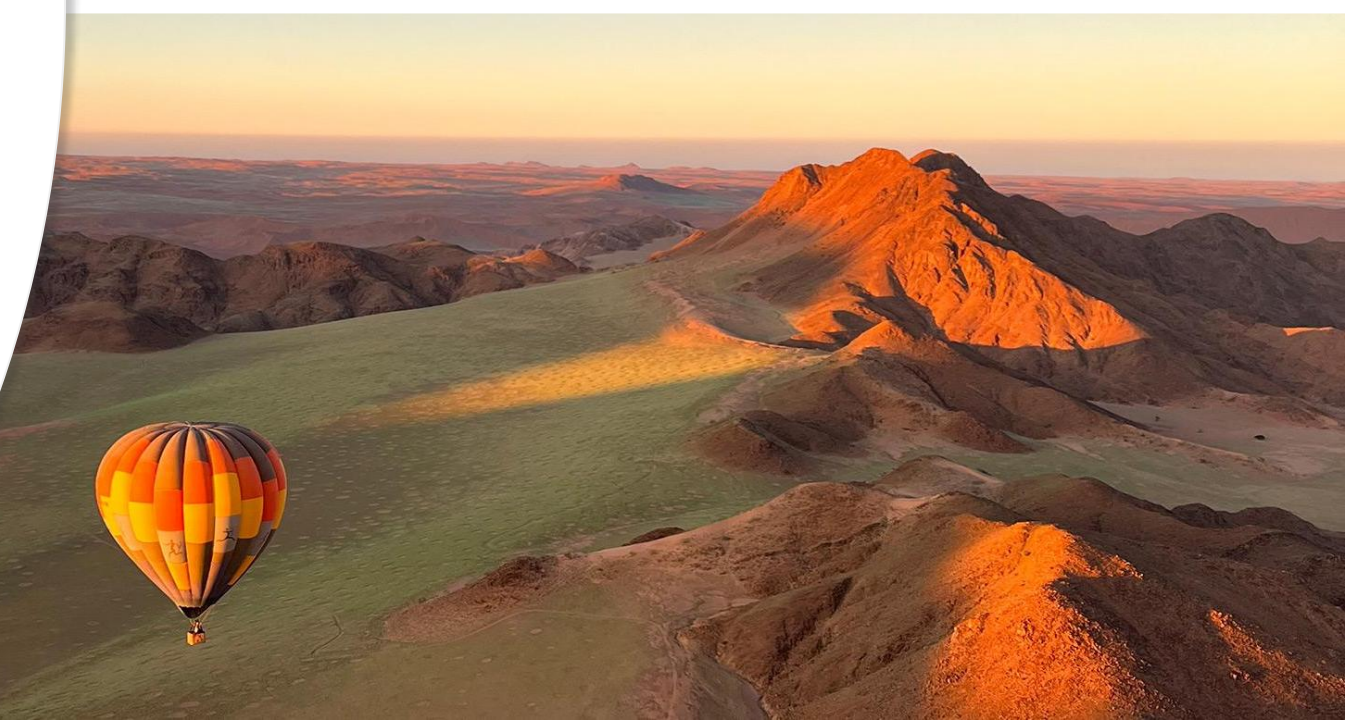
- Pricing: \$849
- Guest Count: 2 – 15 Guests
- Activity Level: Easy
- Duration: 5 hours



# Sunrise Balloon Adventure

Lift off over the Namib Desert at sunrise, drifting above dunes and wildlife before enjoying a sparkling wine breakfast in the open desert.

- Pricing: \$699
- Guest Count: 6 – 13 guests
- Activity Level: Easy
- Duration: 5 hours



# Marine Wildlife Cruise

Cruise the Walvis Bay lagoon by catamaran, meeting playful seals and dolphins while enjoying sparkling wine and snacks against stunning coastal views.

- Pricing: \$169
- Guest Count: 10 – 120 guests
- Activity Level: Easy
- Duration: 4 hours





## Luderitz, Namibia

- Unique German colonial architecture
- Dramatic desert-meets-ocean scenery
- Quiet, off-the-beaten-path charm
- Gateway to Kolmanskop Ghost Town

# Lüderitz Walking Tour

Explore Lüderitz on a guided walking tour featuring German-colonial architecture, the town museum, Goerke Haus, and the iconic Felsenkirche.

- Included
- Activity Level: Moderate
- Duration: 2.5 hours



# Halifax Boat Cruise

Cruise from Lüderitz to Halifax Island to view African Penguins, passing dunes, islands, fishing boats, and the historic Shark Island lighthouse along the way.

- Pricing: \$95
- Guest Count: 10 – 24 guests
- Activity Level: Easy
- Duration: 3 hours

\*can be paired with the included walking tour



# Kolmanskop Ghost Town Tour

Visit Kolmanskop, Namibia's iconic ghost town, where sand-filled German colonial buildings tell the story of the early 1908 diamond rush and its dramatic decline.

- Pricing: \$129
- Guest Count: 10 – 58 guests
- Activity Level: Moderate
- Duration: 2.5 hours

\*can be paired with the included walking tour





## PORT SALDANHA, South Africa

- West Coast National Park
- Tender into the crystal-clear Langebaan Lagoon
- Exploring San culture at !Khwa Ttu
- Charming coastal towns

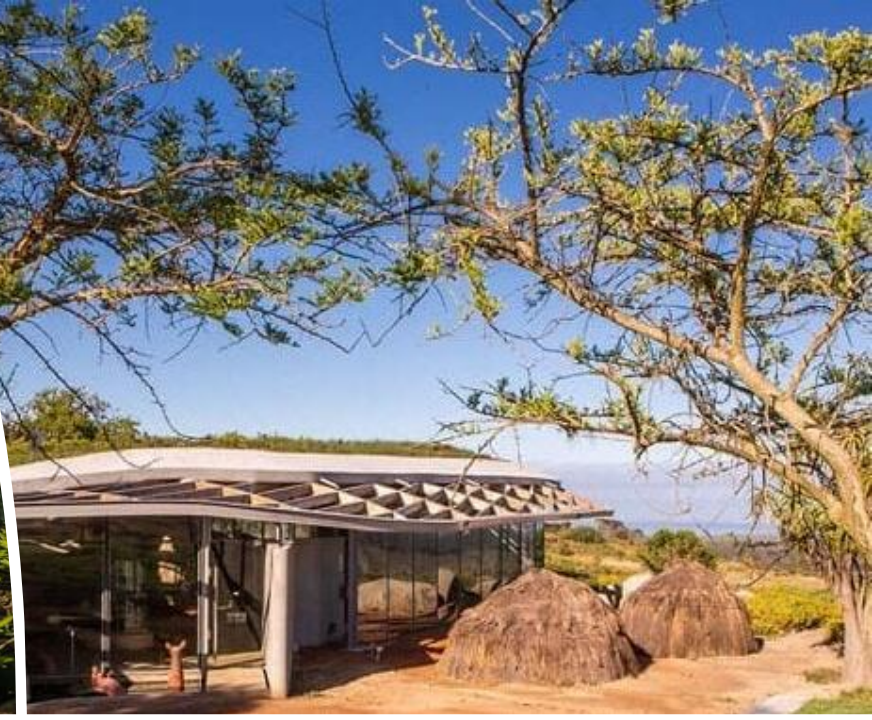
# !Khwa Ttu San Spirit Tour

Discover the heritage of Southern Africa's San people through interactive exhibits, guided storytelling, and hands-on cultural experiences at !Khwa ttu Nature Reserve.

- Included
- Activity Level: Easy
- Duration: 5 hours



Way of the San

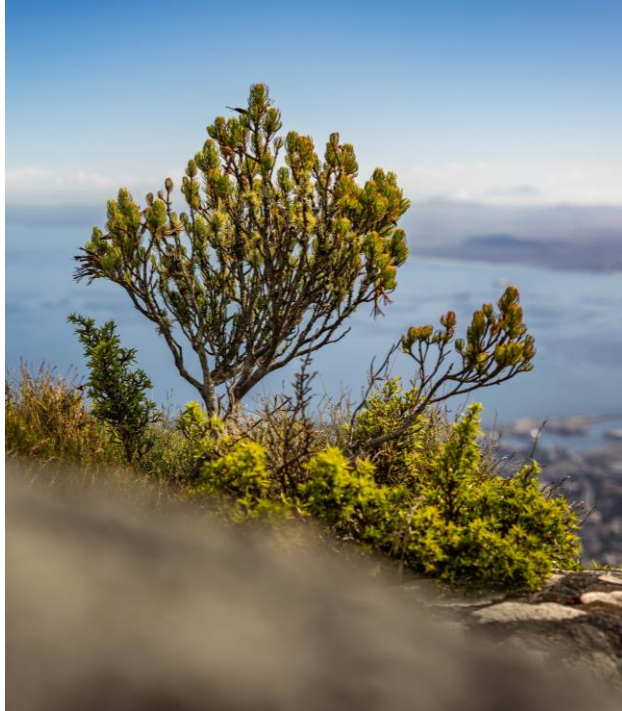


# West Coast e-Bike Tour

Enjoy a guided e-bike ride through Cape Columbine Nature Reserve, taking in rugged coastline, wild scenery, and the iconic lighthouse before relaxing with a refreshing drink.

- Pricing: \$225
- Guest Count: 6 - 19 guests
- Activity Level: Challenging
- Duration: 4 hours





## Cape Town, South Africa

- Iconic scenery in easy reach
- World class culinary scene
- Access to wine country
- Wildlife and nature experiences
- Evening atmosphere & Waterfront nightlife

# Kirstenbosch Gardens and Table Mountain

Ascend Table Mountain by rotating cable car for sweeping city and ocean views, then enjoy a tranquil stroll through the magnificent Kirstenbosch Botanical Garden.

- Included
- Activity Level: Easy
- Duration: 5 hours



# Cape Winelands Tour

Explore the Cape Winelands with free time in Franschhoek, a wine tasting and picnic at Boschendal, and a visit to Stellenbosch capped with a wine-and-chocolate pairing.

- Pricing: \$239
- Guest Count: 10 – 40 guests
- Activity Level: Moderate
- Duration: 8 hours



# Cape Point, Boulders Beach & Wine Tasting

Travel Cape Town's iconic coastline to Hout Bay and Chapman's Peak, explore Cape Point and the Cape of Good Hope, visit the Boulders penguin colony, then enjoy wine tasting and lunch at Cape Point Vineyards before ending at historic Groot Constantia.

- Pricing: \$319
- Guest Count: 10 – 40 guests
- Activity Level: Moderate
- Duration: 8 hours



# Franschhoek Valley Cycle

Cycle through the Franschhoek Valley on a guided 2-hour ride with visits to two boutique estates for wine tastings paired with cheese and charcuterie.

- Pricing: \$309
- Guest Count: 4 – 20 guests
- Activity Level: Moderate
- Duration: 4.5 hours



# Excursion Summary

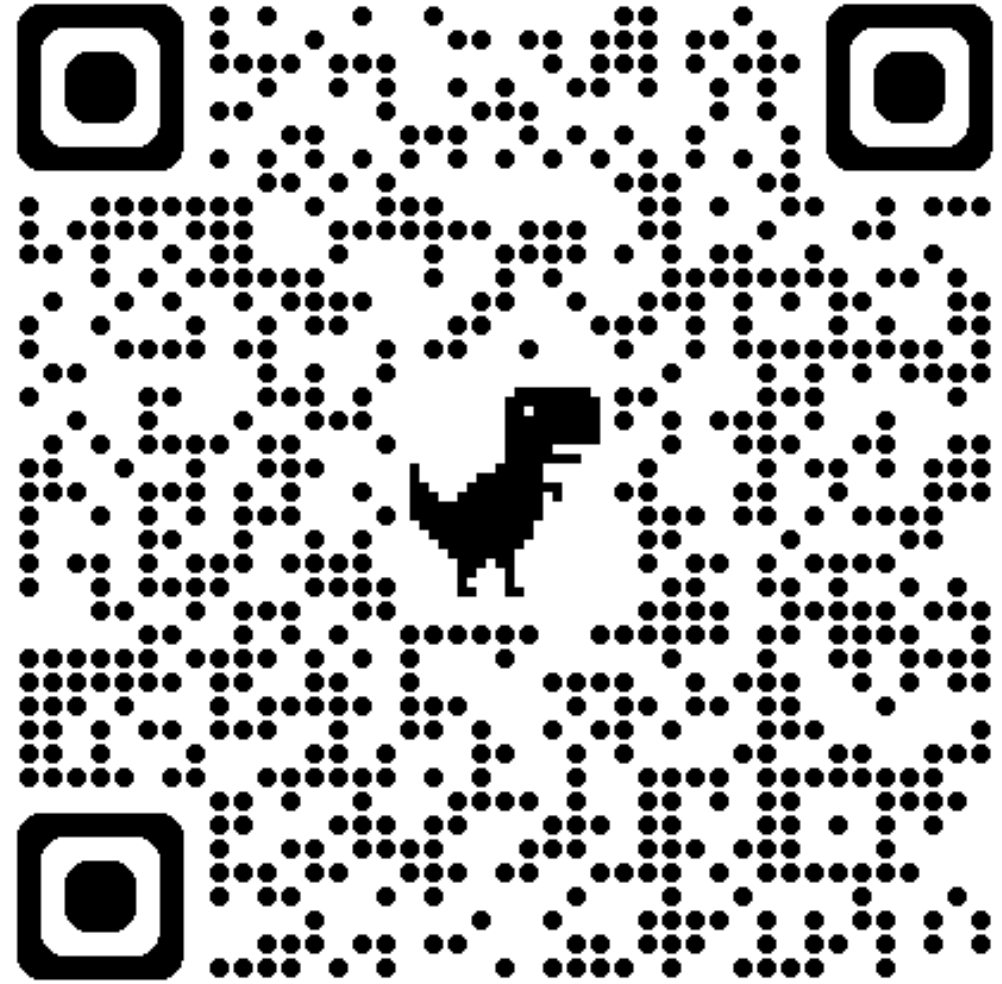
Luanda			Lüderitz		
<b>Day 2</b>	City Tour	<b>Included</b>	<b>Day 9</b>	Luderitz Walking Tour (can be combined with 9.1 or 9.2)	<b>Included</b>
Namibe				9.1 - Halifax Boat Cruise	\$ 95.00
<b>Day 4</b>	Namibe Desert Adventure (cannot be combined)	<b>Included</b>		9.2 - Kolmanskop Ghost Town	\$ 129.00
	Beauties of Huila	\$ 329.00	Por Saldanha, Langebaan		
Ilha Baia dos Tigres			<b>Day 10</b>	Spirit Tour (cannot be combined)	<b>Included</b>
<b>Day 5</b>	Landing with Expedition Team	<b>Included</b>		West Coast e-bike	\$ 225.00
Walvis Bay			Cape Town		
<b>Day 7 &amp; 8</b>	Starry Night Dinner (can be combined with any tour)	<b>Included</b>	<b>Day 11</b>	Kirstenbosch Gardens and Table Mountain (cannot be combined)	<b>Included</b>
	Namibian Culture Tour	\$ 139.00		Cape Winelands deluxe	\$ 239.00
	Living Desert Tour	\$ 239.00		Cape point, boulders, and wine tasting	\$ 319.00
	Pelican Point Kayaking	\$ 259.00		Franschhoek Valley Cycle	\$ 309.00
	Scenic Flight	\$ 849.00			
	Sunrise Ballooning (Only Available Day 8)	\$ 699.00			
	Marine Cruise	\$ 169.00			

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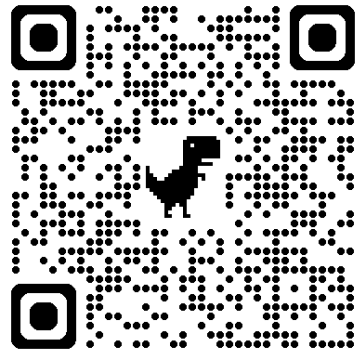
- **Email:** [info@brandgvacations.com](mailto:info@brandgvacations.com)
- **Call:** 952-405-9309
- Online on the booking page



Booking Page

# Disembarkation

- Transfer from the ship to the airport or an independently booked hotel
- City Guide to Cape Town

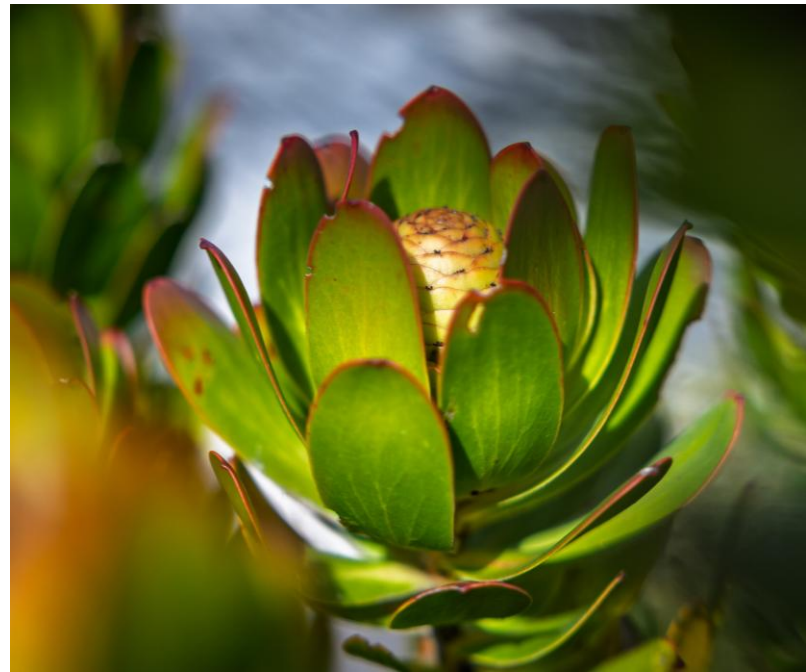




## Swan Hellenic Memory Package

- Snapshots of your adventure
- Downloadable Photos & Videos







## Reminders

- Trip Guide Available
- Share arrival flight information
- Share post-cruise transfer information (flight or hotel details)
- Find your Yellow Fever vaccine record, or get the vaccine, or secure a medical note exempting you from it
- Access to the Brand g App
- Select your optional Add-ons (available online)



Any Questions?